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1. The Craiova airfield is located at approximately 1 to 1.5 kilometers south of the bridge over the Jiul River. The airfield is on the Craiova-Plenita-Cetate road, on the left side of the river bank and approximately 400 meters from the river.
2. The airfield's length runs parallel to the Jiul River and is 3.5 or 4 kilometers long. Its width is approximately 2 kilometers.
3. At the western end of the airfield there are four gasoline tanks with approximate dimensions: 8 to 10 meters in diameter and 10 to 15 meters tall.
4. On the west side of the airfield there is a large T-shaped building with the stem of the "T" very short. The building is two stories high and is one or two stories higher in the center section. The center section has large windows facing the airfield. The building is cubical, gray in color, and with a flat roof. Its dimensions are approximately 80 by 30 meters.
5. Three hangars are lined up on the same (west) side of the airfield. They face south. They have oval roofs covered with tin roofing. Across from these buildings there are three more hangars of the same type and also covered with metal roofs.
6. Four Soviet jet planes, gray in color, and with a red star on the fusilage were seen at the airfield.

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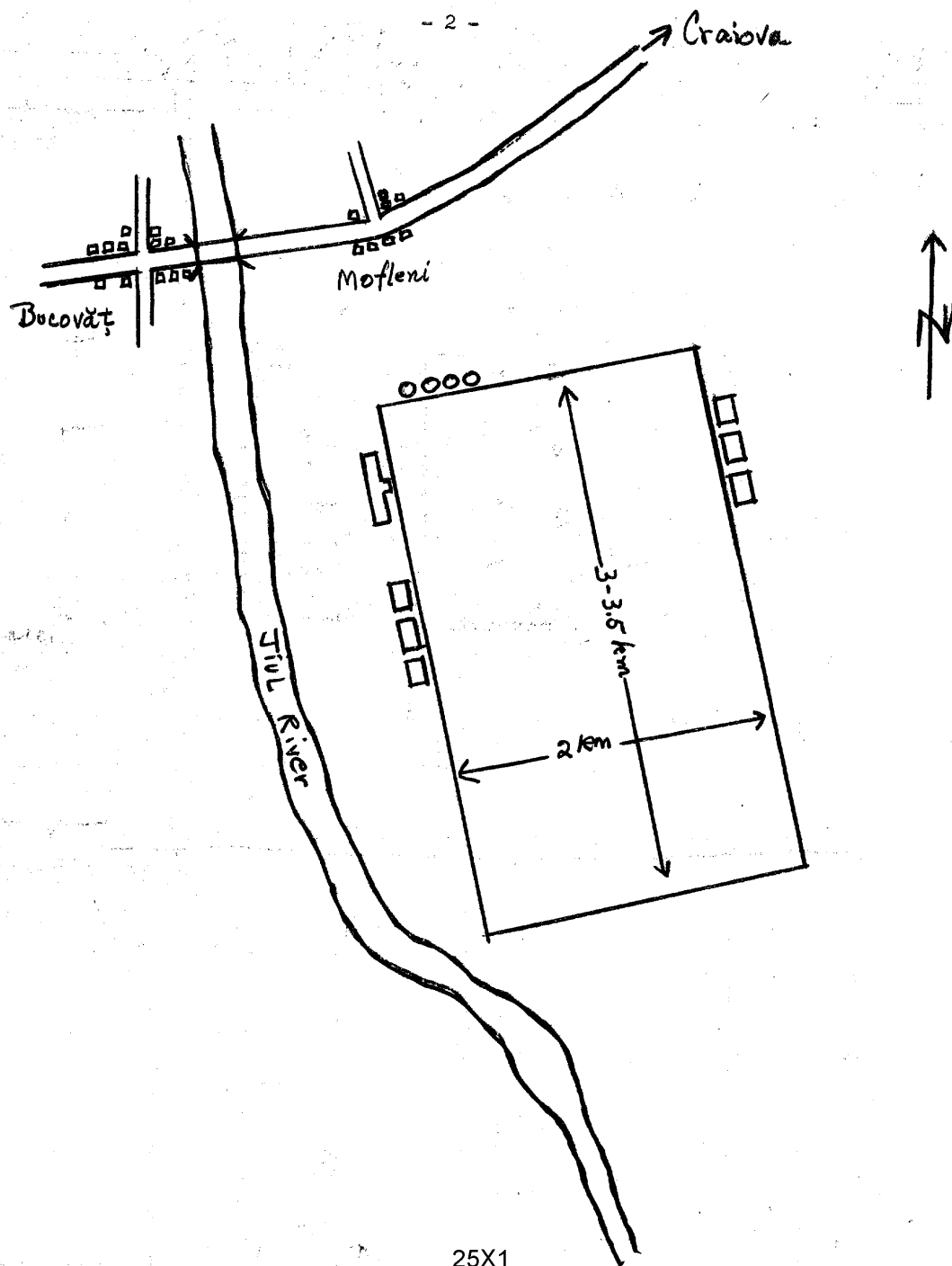
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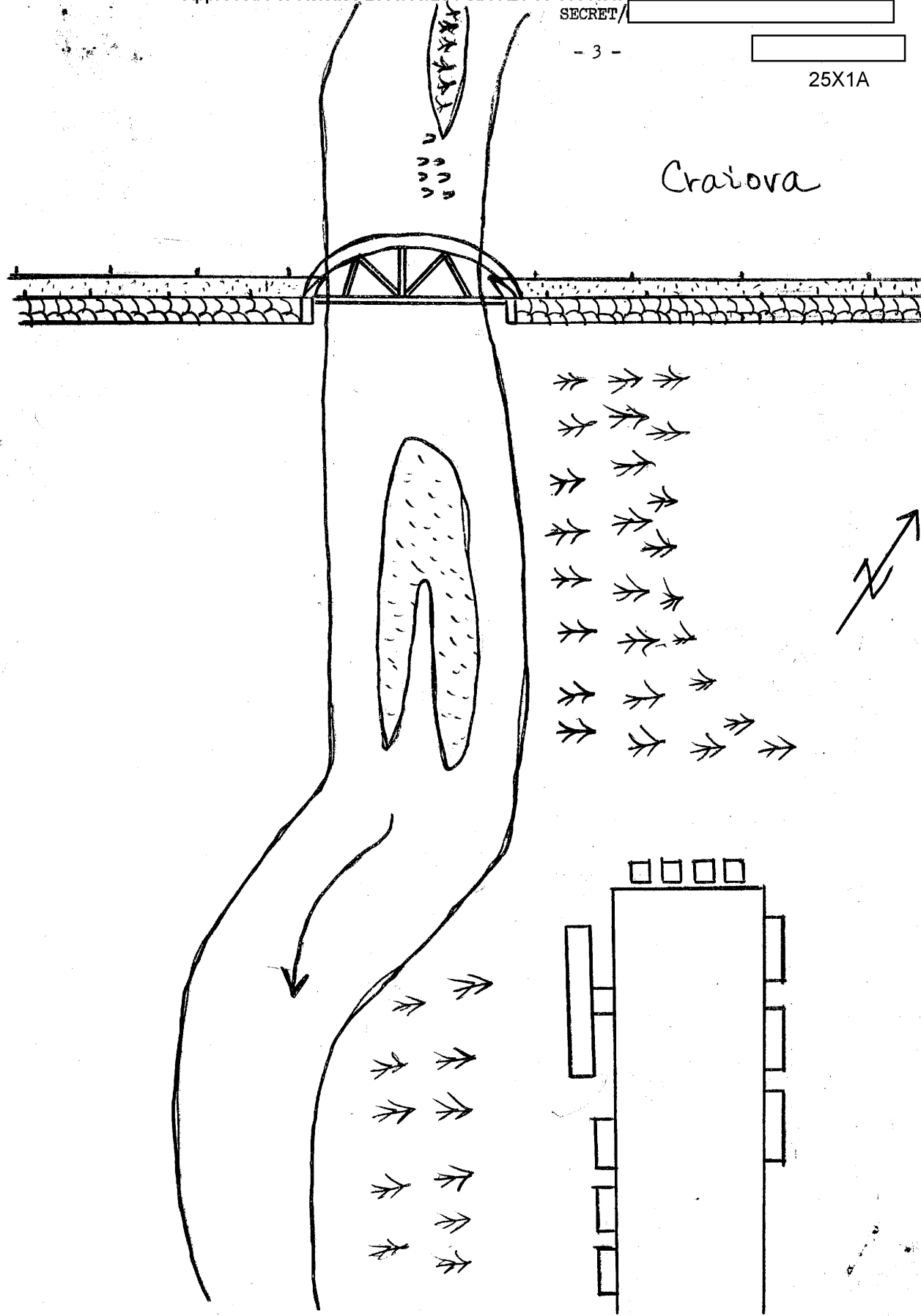
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